

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Re: Application of: INUI, Akio., et al. Confirmation: 7240
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Examiner Ian D. Dang
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For: **THERAPEUTICS FOR DIABETES MELLITUS**

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of March 22, 2007, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.